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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Masaki Yamamoto et al.)
Serial No. To Be Assigned)
Filing Date: Herewith)
For Combination Tuner Capable of Receiving)
Television Signal and FM Signal)

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Pursuant to the obligation under 37 C.F.R. 1.56 and in conformance with 37 C.F.R. 1.97-1.99, Applicants hereby submit references A1-A2 listed on the attached form PTO-1449 for consideration by the Examiner. Copies of the references are enclosed herewith.

Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication No. 2000-78490 discloses a television tuner capable of receiving a television signal and an FM signal.

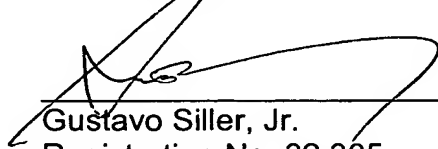
Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication No. 2000-217051 discloses a television tuner capable of receiving a television signal and an FM signal, and an internal antenna.

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Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner review the entire disclosure of these documents and make them of record.

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FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS/ SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES	NO
	A1	Japanese Unexamined Patent Application Publication No. 2000- 78490	03/2000	Japan		x (partial)	
	A2	Japanese Unexamined patent Application Publication No. 2000- 217051	08/2000	Japan		x (partial)	

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